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# Anecdotes of Daniel Mann

#### Was a Brawny Lad and Didn't Hesitate to Show It

Some contributions to the fund of anecdotes concerning D. D. Mann, the big Canadian railroad builder, are made by the New York Sun. When Mr. Mann was a boy he began to work at any job that came handy He possessed remarkable physical strength and this stood him in good stead in climbing to the front. Most of the Sun's stories have to do with his muscular prowess as a young

was in progress. The recognized champions of the country were giv- other rich forms of food as well undertook to contest for the honors tablespoonful of sulphur stirred with the properly dressed profession- four quarts of soft feed should

on the shores of Georgian Bay a pub- the bare places rub compound sullic subscription was started to have phur ointment or carbolized vaseline. him sent out of town, as his favorite Do not feed them more than way of showing his physical exhuber- , will eat quickly, leaving none, sace was to catch hold of peaceful avoid giving them hard grain, such citizens and throw them off the dock as corn and wheat, in the middle of into the water.

Perhaps the most dramatic story of his life, says the Sun, is that of his experience in Ottawa when the Canadian Northern was seeking from the railway committee the concessions that have made it possible to develop the most northerly parts of the , better than Epsom salts. They clear last west. With many interests arrayed against him Mr. Mann pleaded his cause with such effect that he was confident of a favorable vote. Just as the vote was about to be taken, one of the lieutenants came to him and whispered:

The city of Hull is on fire and the Hames are sweeping across the river"

It was at the end of the session and Mr. Mann knew that if the committee was allowed to disperse without votring all his work might be undone. Acting with the same mental force as he has so often shown physically he dragged his assistant to the door of the committee room. "Stand here with me, and we won't let any one get out of the room or into it until the vote is taken."

The lieutenant says that at that time Mr. Mann looked to him at least ten feet tall. A favorable vote was passed and then the committee was allowed to turn out and watch . the fire.

## Profit in Poultry

At a mecent meeting of the Women's Institute at Ennismore, Colin Campbell, of Windsor, afternoon, was a most entertaining one, on "Poultry Raising, is it a profitable or a losing business?" Mrs. Campbell showed that she had a wide knowledge of her subject, as indicated by the many phases she touched upon. She talked on a great many phases of the poultry business, and at some length on all of the various points advanced. Among them were the site for a henhouse, housing poultry, the varieties of hens to keep and the care and feeding of hens for egg sidered best as a general purpose lowing breeds : Plymouth Rock, Wyandotte and Orpington.

CARE AND FEEDING FOR EGGS There should be a good supply of green food, meat food and grain, the latter both ground and whole. It is necessary to feed so as to induce birds to take exercise. In winter green food is supplied by feeding turnips, or other roots, pulped or whole, and by feeding steamed mash.

Meat food is supplied in the form of ground green bone, such as beef, ing it up. heads, liver, etc. Animal meat and dried blood, etc. are good foods, but in many cases are more expensive than the others mentioned. However they are very useful during the hot weather when it is impossible to use fresh meats.

Partially decayed meat should not be used as it is not healthful. Wheat is undoubtedly the most popular grain food for fowl. Corn is rather large and conspicuous and when the litter does not give enough ercise. Corn is heating and fattening is therefore best adapted for winter use. Oats should be a first-· class food for poultry, but owing r to the large percentage of hull not relished by chickens, and for this reason are also somewhat indigestible. Barley, either ground or whole, is good. It too, has rather too much fully recommend hull, but otherwise is a satisfactory food. It is next to wheat in point of value. Shorts and bran are excellent foods to use in maintaining the health of the flocks. The general method of feeding is to give a mash of a mixed ground grains moistened

with water or milk in the morning, a little whole grain scattered in the straw covering on the floor at noon and all the whole grain the fowl will

The objection to feeding the mash at night is that it becomes quickly digested and the bird has not sufficient food to last it during the long winter night. There should be a plentiful supply of good pure water within easy reach at all times.

Other essentials are grit, which may be griven in the shape of sharp gravel, broken and left in small pieces, oyster shell. etc. Lime should always be before the poultry in the form of either oyster shell, old mortar, or cut bones.

Fowls which have acquired the habit of eating each other's feathers or picking at each other's flesh are suffering from a depraved or vitiated It is related of him that as a boy appetite, and it indicates that they are in a deceased state. A food Ontario where an athletic tournament too stimulating a nature such as oatmeal, too much meat, hot mashes or ing an exhibition, and the young man the absence of green bone are some in farmer's boots, drill overalls and of the causes of this habit. To cure cred flannel shirt entered the competitie the fowl should at once be supplied tion. In spite of the laughter which with green food and sulphur should his appearance provoked, when he be given them in their food. One als, he beat them all in the heavy- given once every 24 hours. Give them a place in the hen house where they Later when working in a sawmill can dust themselves at will, and on the day.

EPSOM SALTS FOR FOWL Many fowls are often mopey. They stand about in a drooping fashion, and do not lay or progress. Another is that they are overfat. As an antidote to both conditions nothing ones and reduce the fat. One-half teaspoonful to each fowl every other day for two weeks produces good results. Mix it in a little soft, appetizing food. Mix the salts in proportion to the number of fowls.

POULTRY RAISING PROFITABLE.

Many farmers look upon poultry raising as an unprofitable undertaking, the few chickens they keep being a small item of their business, but this is a great mistake. If the farmers and all poultry raisers were to keep accurate account of incomes and expenditures as a merchant and another man of business does, they would find that the sale of eggs and poultry would amount to a considerable sum at the end of the year.

### OPS COUNCIL

A regular meeting of Ops council was held on Monday, Feb. 15, with all members present.

The minutes of last meeting were read by the clerk and on motion of Messrs. O'Loughlin and Hickson, were confirmed.

Reeve Hawkins addressed the council and said that as he had not been the "fishy" flavor in butter originpresent at last meeting, he felt it ates in the churn. He claims also was his duty to express his views in that this flavor is never found in roost. regard to drainage and other towninstructive addresses. The one in the ship matters. He did so and hoped all would work for the best interest of the township and avoid law costs etc., as much as possible.

COMMUNICATIONS

A letter from S. J. Fox, M.P.P., acknowledging receipt of petition re sec. 606 of the Municipal Act, and stating that he would urge its am-

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neer, with draft of petitions to the Minister of Railways and Canals, briefly setting forth the history of production. The hens that she con- the dam at Lindsay; the agreement made with the government regarding fowl were any varieties of the fol- it in 1843, and the necessity of limiting the height of the new dam to that of the old one, so that Stony creek drainage now about to constructed may have the desired effect. A profile of the dam and plan of the large area to be drainedare being sent with the petition. The council were unanimous in their approval of the petition and on motion of Messrs. Hickson and Deyell with required signatures and the

corporate seal of the township. Mr. Thomas A. Newman called the attention of council to the necessity of fencing a portion of municipal

drain No. 1 to keep cattle from fill- try, both from a practical and On motion of Messrs. O'Loughlin and Best the commissioners on road div. Nos. 1 and 2 were instructed to

view the drain with power to act. The auditor's report was received

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and filed, and on motion of Messrs O'Loughlin and Deyell the clerk was instructed to have the abstract statements published and 100 copies

STATUTE LABOR SCHEDULE MO-DIFIED.

Owing to the increase in assessment the council deemed it necessary to lessen the statute labor, and on motion of Messrs. Best and Deyell By-law No. 574 was amended, and the following schedule adopted; viz. Any assessment up to \$100, 1 day from \$100 up to \$800, 2 days; \$800 to \$1600, 3 days; \$1600 to \$2500, 4 days; \$2500 to \$3500, 5 days \$3500 to \$4500, 6 days; \$4500 to \$5500, 7 days; \$5500 to \$6500, days; \$6500 to \$7700, 9 days.

After the assessment reaches \$6, 500 the general rise in assessment per day is \$1200, but any fraction of \$1200 not less than one-half is liable for an extra days statute la-

Mr. O'Loughlin moved, seconded by Mr. Devell, that by-law No. 673 be amended, and that Reeve Hawkins be commissioner of road division No. 3, in place of Mr. Wm. H. Wilson, unseated.-Carried.

Messrs. Wm. I. Reid and Chas Reea called the attention of council to some necessary drainage, and on motion of of Messrs. O'Loughlin and Best the matter was left in the hands of Commissioner Hickson. Mr. Jas. H. Hopkins said he tended to build about 75 rods

wire fence and said the bonus had been promised him some time ago. out all impurities from the drooping 'The matter was left in the hands of Commissioner Deyell. Mr. Owen Traymore and Miss Shea of South Ops, applied for fence bon-

uses and Commissioner Best said he would consider the matter. Mr. Wm. I. Reid said the G. R. failed to remove the lodged water from the railroad near his house

although they had promised to de The council instructed the clerk communicate with the Board of Railway Commissioners since the railcompany seemed indifferent

about the nuisance. Moved by Mr. Deyell, seconded by Mr. Hickson, that the following ac counts now be paid in full: Rent of office for 1908, \$36; Geo. Griffin gravel for 1908, \$8.70; S. Coulter,

balance of com., \$1.37; G. H. M. Baker, half cord wood, tp. hall, \$3. On motion of Messrs. Deyell and O'Loughlin, council adjourned till Monday, March 22, when pathmast-

ers, fenceviewers and poundkeepers

will be appointed. W. F. O'BOYLE, Clerk.

### The Fishy Flavor in Butter

An American authority claims that where such butter has been kept cold storage for two years and "fishy" has developed. He claims that the birthplace of fishy taste germs is in the creamery churn. new churn has been known to cure the "fishy" trouble for a season One the causes is the churn getting water-logged by keeping water in over night. This authority claims From Geo. Smith, township engi- that he has known "fishy" flavor to develop in ten days in the finesttextured butter from this cause. The yellow scum in the out-of-the-way corners of the churn develops the "flavor" the germs of which will resist a temperature of 220 F.

If this authority is correct in his assertions then butter-mak?rs should look to their churns and have them thoroughly cleaned and dried after

editor of the Canadian Poultry Review, the people's popular poultry paper, tells us that this paper has been greatly enlarged and is filled with all that pertains to poulfancy standpoint.

Prof. A. G. Gilbert, manager Dominion government poultry farm, Ottawa, is still in charge of the practical poultry department, while Prof. W. R. Graham, manager of the poultry department of the Ontario Agricultural college, Guelph, has charge of the artificial incubation and brooding department. Rev. J. Williams, one of England's most noted experts, writes interestingly each month on poultry doings in the old land. Mr. H. S. Babcock, Providence, Heartburn, and Indigestion as real diseases, yet they are symptoms only of a certain specific R. I., is another prominent writer and breeder on this paper's regular Nerve sickness—nothing else.

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# Prizes Offered for Best Cream

Ald. Lewis is Offering Inducements to Farmers to Take Greater Care of Their Cream

Alderman M. J. Lewis, of the Victoria creamery, in order to encourage farmers to exercise greater care with their cream, has decided to offer \$15 in prizes for the best quality of cream in uniformity of butter fat and flavor. The prizes will be given as follows: first, \$5.00; second \$4.00; third \$3.00; fourth \$2.00 and fifth, \$1.00. This offer will extend over a period of three years.

Mr. McKenzie, of the local agricultural department, will assist Mr. Lewis in the judging.

This will necessitate the storing of ice, as cream cannot be kept successfully in any other way.

It might be stated that the best quality of cream received by Mr. Lewis was from a gentleman who stored cream in a home made refrigerator, which only cost \$3. It is a very simple device, and only one block of ice was used per day in storing the cream.

#### THE MANAGEMENT OF TURKEYS

Ed. Farm and Dairy. - Replying to your enquiry as to how we managed our flock of turkeys last year which won the prize of a silk umbrella offered by Flavelles Ltd., of Lindsay, for the best flock of turkeys of over 30 birds sent to their establishment. In the first place we always endeavor to select well-bred birds to breed from, using the Mammoth Bronze variety. During the winter time we feed the hens a moderate ration so as not to unduly fat ten them.

When possible we have them lay where they are going to set and hatch their brood, When practicable every bird is given her own eggs. When the poults hatch we keep them indoors for three or four days on a dry clean floor in a wellventilated building, allowing them to run out only when the day is sunny and the ground dry. They are put back, invariably, to their dry clean floor every night. They are never allowed to sleep on the ground for a single night. This sometimes requires unremitting care and attention. In few weeks the old hens will be so trained as to return of their own ac cord to their accustomed place of shelter. As soon as the young turkeys are old enough suitable roosts are fixed for them in this shelter.

After the poults are two weeks old they are allowed to run out at will except in the rain. They must come back every evening, otherwise we bring them in. They are allowed to roost out in midsummer, but they must roost in the yard. When the nights get cold in the fall, we bring them under well ventilated shelter to

The young turkeys are fed bread soaked in sweet milk at the start few moments, then drop by teaspoongradually changing them on to ration of small wheat, after which they receive no more soft feed nor roots, but simply a liberal supply of small rich grain. We continue feeding some grain all through the season, then it requires no extra feed to finish them. Clean water is furnished them at all times.

The worst thing we have to contend with in raising turkeys is the foxes. We have lost more through their depredations than from all other causes .- M. D. Sullivan, Peterboro Co., Ont.

## Lindsay Boys at Minden

The Minden Echo says : "The Casino Amusement Co., supporting P. Mulheron, Canada's boy soprano, and the Perrin Bros., in comedy sketches, have just completed a two night's engagement in Haliburton. They had, however, great inconveniences to contend with the first night and the performances billed for Monday and Tuesday nights was held on Tuesday and Wednesday night. Although such was the case those who witnessed the performance were amply repaid by hearing P. Mulheron and the Perrin Bros.

## Another Powerful Explosive

Another powerful explosive has been invented by Mr. Wm. Hancock, of Haliburton, which Mr. Hancock claims to be as powerful as dynamite and much safer to handle, he has executed very encouraging results through rock blasting and will work under water with the same results.

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# THE COOK'S CORNER

COCOANUT SOOKIES

Cream 1 cup butter with 2 cups of sugar, add 2 eggs and two cups rich cream. If sweet cream is used add 2 teaspoons baking powder to the flour, but if sour cream is used, dissolve in it 1 teaspoon soda and omit the baking powder. Flavor with teaspoon vanilla, and sift in flour enough to make a very soft dough, using only as much flour as is absolutely necessary to be able to handle the dough. Roll out, cut, and bake. Meanwhile prepare the following: To cup confectioner's sugar add enough rich cream to make it of the consistency of frosting. Flavor with 1 teaspoon vanilla, and beat till smooth. Spread over the cookies and sprinkle thickly with cocoanut. Pleas-

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different fruit colors.

ing variety may be had by separat-

ing the frosting and coloring with

To 1 cuo sugar add 1 cup sour cream, in which dissolve 1 level teaspoon soda, 1 beaten egg, and flour to roll.

CREAM FRIED CAKES To 1 well-beaten egg add 1 cup sugar, 1 cup sweet cream and flour enough to make a soft dough, sifted

with 1 teaspoon soda, 1 teaspoon cream tartar, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, and some salt. Roll about inch thick, cut in any desired shape, and fry in deep, hot lard.

HICKORYNUT DROP CAKES

To the well-beaten whites of eggs add 1 pt. white sugar, 1 pt. hickorynut meats, and 4 tablespoonfuls sifted flour. Beat lightly for a ful on greased cake tins, allowing room for spreading. Bake about 15 to 20 minutes .- N. W. Surth, Ontario

CHICKEN BROTH FOR INVALIDS Cook the chicken, season with little pepper and salt. When done, take out the meat, pour the liquid into a large bowl. Cut a piece o brown paper the size of the top o the bowl, and put on the top of the broth while warm. The grease will raise and adhere to paper, leaving the broth free from all fatty substances. This will be relished much better by the patient .- Mrs. J. W. Robbins, P. E. Co., Ont.

### FRUIT COOKIES

One and one-half cup sugar, 1 cup butter, 2 eggs beaten, 1 cup raisins, 1 cup currants, 1 teaspoon soda, 1 teaspoon each of cloves, nutmeg, mace, and cinnamon, 1 tablespoon milk, 4 cups flour. - Marion Dallas, Frontenac, Co., Ont.

## The Canadian National Missionary Congress

At a meeting of the quarterly board of the Cambridge-st. Methodist church, held last evening, the following gentlemen were appointed a committee to attend the Canadian National Missionary Congress to be held in Massey Hall, Toronto, from March 31st to April 4th, Messrs. Wm. Flavelle, F. J. Sutcliffe, W. B. Sparling, Newton Smale, and Dr.

-Hay seems to be plentiful on the local market.

-Peterboro council will erect a new bridge over the Otonabee at a cost -Street Overseer O'Neill is doing

good work in clearing out the gutters of superfluous snow. -Abner Cavalry of Millbrook died

at the House of Probidence, Peterboro, on Friday, aged 74 years. -The new office of Chief Vincent is awaiting the finishing touches the painter's rush.



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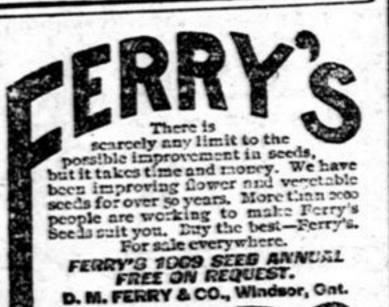
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## Permanent Pastor at Omemee

The sessions and managers of the different charges comprising Omemee circuit of the Presbyterian church met on Monday to consider means and ways of deciding on a permanent pastor. Rev. Mr. Pogue, of St. Paul's, Peterboro, was chairman, and we understand the result of the deliberation was to formulate another call to some of the ministers who have preached trial sermons since the first call was not accepted. -Omemee Mirror.

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